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APPLICANT(S): Stephen Peter HUGHES et al.
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**COMMUNICATION RE: FILING OF DECLARATION ON
A DATE LATER THAN THE FILING DATE OF THE APPLICATION**

Sir:

It is requested that the *Combination Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney* submitted herewith be joined up with the papers previously filed in this application.

It is requested that the surcharge of \$130.00 for the filing of the *Declaration* be charged to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

Note: To date, the undersigned representative has not yet received the "Notification of Missing Requirements" from the USPTO.

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If any extension of time for this response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. Please charge the required petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

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Please charge any insufficiency of fees, or credit any excess to our Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this paper and every paper referred to therein as being enclosed are being deposited by fax to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at 571-273-8300 on the date indicated below.

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Comments:

Attached are:

1. Communication Re: Filing of Declaration on a Date Later Than the Filing Date of the Application - **CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT \$130**
2. Executed Combination Oath, Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 sheets)